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Seattle owner contends company had no right to erect poles, Nov. 25.
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Bogen Div. of Lear Siegler files comments on spectrum, Nov. 11.
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Comsat files objections to cable, Nov. 18.
Harmonix asks hearing on denial of lines, Nov. 18.
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Eximbank approves $5,362,000 for satellite station, Nov. 11.
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Philippine Long Distance Telephone Co.:
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GT&E reports sale of stock, Dec. 23.
Portugal:
Anglo-Portuguese Telephone Co.:
Sale negotiations proceeding, July 1.
Portugal agrees to value of telephone assets, Nov. 25.
Company in process of being taken over by govt., Dec. 30.
Puerto Rico:
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.:
Has hostesses for customers, Nov. 25.
Russia:
Young Russians steal telephone, July 22.
Scotland:
Glasgow replaces classified book with YP, Nov. 4.
Singapore:
World Bank approves loan, Sept. 23.
Virgin Islands:
V. I. Telephone Corp.:
Praised for restoring service after fire, July 15.

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Arizona Telephone Co.:
Files articles, July 15.
California:
Advanced Mobile Radiotelephone Services, Inc.:
Incorporation filed, Oct. 21.
Missouri:
Western Telephone Co.:
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Nebraska:
A T S Mobile Telephone Inc.:
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Virginia:
Pembroke Telephone Co.:
Chartered to provide modern service, Nov. 25.

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Four Independents participate in Northway NETS system, July 29.

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Proposes bill for commission reorganization, July 1.
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House (U.S.) okays bill for sale or lease of Alaska system, Sept. 9.
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Amendment would permit tax levy on companies (See **TAXES**), Aug. 12.
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Illinois:
Bill establishes telecommunications agency, Aug. 12.
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Iowa:
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Kentucky:
Water company plans to ask relocation cost law, Oct. 7.
Missouri:
Obscenity bill signed, Aug. 19.
New Jersey:
Stricter wiretap curb voted, Sept. 23.
New York:
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North Carolina:
Passes harassment bill, July 1.
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Florida Telephone Corporation gears for rapid growth, Sept. 30.

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Independent Pioneers plan Hawaiian tour, July 1.
Buckeye scholarship check (pic), Aug. 19.
Independent Museum, Hall of Fame Foundation receive more gifts, July 29.
ITPA luncheon, business meeting highlights of USITA convention, by R. C. Reno, (See **USITA**), Sept. 23.
Independent Pioneers hold spotlight at USITA convention, by R. C. Reno, (See USITA), Nov. 4.

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Company maintains quality service with tune-up tour, Nov. 4.
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Major development in battery technology announced by GT&E, Nov. 4.
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Jefferson (Ia.) Telephone stages fishing derby for children, Sept. 2.

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Incorporates in Nebraska, Oct. 7.
Illinois:
Olney Communications approved, Oct. 21.
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Midland Telephone Co., Champaign, Ill.; Hancock Rural Telephone Corp., Greenfield, Ind.; Colo (Ia.) Telephone Co.; Home Telephone Co., Olive Branch, Miss.; Bledsoe Telephone Cooperative, Pikeville, Tenn.; Colorado Valley Telephone Cooperative, Inc., La Grange, Tex.; Pine Belt Telephone Co., Inc., Arlington, Ala.; Carroll Telephone Co., Inc., Delphi, Ind.; Mid-State Telephone Co., Kerkhoven, Minn.: Mebane (N.C.) Home Telephone Co., Inc.; Surry Telephone Membership Corp., Dobson, N. C., Aug. 5.
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Safety Council announces Falls safety slide series, Aug. 19.
Committee meets in Santa Monica, Oct. 21.

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LTV Ling Altec, Inc. agrees to merge, Aug. 19. To be acquired by LTV Ling Altec, Oct 7. Acquisition completed, Nov. 18.
American Crossarm & Conduit Co.:
Acquired by Fanner Mfg. Co., Aug. 19.
Amphenol Corp., Sangamo Electric Co.:
Abandon plan to combine, Nov. 4.
Autographic Business Forms, Inc., The Autographic Register Co.:
Assets bought by Acme Visible, Sept. 23.
Automated Data Service:
To be sold to United Utilities, Dec. 16.
Anaconda Astrodata:
Sold to Anaconda Wire & Cable, Aug. 19.
General Instrument Corp.:
Announces merger agreement with Jerrold Corp., Sept, 9.
GFC Engineering & Sales Corp.:
Acquired by Ren Plastics, Inc., Dec. 30.
Jerrold Corp.:
Shareholders approve sale to General Instrument, Dec. 9.
Lordel Manufacturing Co.:
Major Interest acquired by Reliable Electric Co., July 29.
Moore Associates, Inc.:
Rucker Co. to acquire, Aug. 5.
North Electric Co.:
To merge with United Utilities, Sept. 30.
Orbit Industries, Inc.:
To be acquired by H. Hubbell, Inc., Oct. 7.
Sheraton Corp. of America:
Agrees to merge with ITT Corp., Nov. 11. ITT, Sheraton directors appove meger, Nov. 18.
Suttle Equipment Corp.:
Acquired by North American Communications Corp., July 8.
Trans-Controls, Inc.:
Acquired by Pacific Plantronics, Dec. 30.
Ultronic Systems:
Acquired by Sylvania Electric Products, July 15.
Edmonds Cablevision:
Sold to GT&E Communications, July 8.
Fergus Cablevision:
Purchased by North American Communication, Sept. 23.
Valley Master Cable, Inc.:
Acquired by Mid-Continent Telephone Corp., Sept. 16.

Alabama:
Midstate Telephone Co.:
Acquired by North American Communications, July 8.

Arkansas:
DeQueen Telephone Co.:
Sold to Allied Telephone Co., Aug. 19.
SW Bell Telephone Co.:
Toll facilities sold to Liberty Telephone and Communications, Inc., Liberty Telephone Co., Western Arkansas Telephone Co. and Yell County Telephone, Aug. 19. Southwestern States-General of SW merger OK'd, Oct. 21.

California:
Petrolia Telephone Co.:
Acquired by Citizens Utilities, Nov. 4.

Florida:
Inter-County Tel & Tel Co.:
United Utilities holders approve merger, July 1.
Merger effective, Oct. 21.

Georgia:
Wayne Telephone Co., Inc.:
Authorized to merge with George State Telephone, July 15.

Illinois:
Osco Mutual Telephone Co.:
Okay to sell to Cambridge Mutual Telephone Co., Nov. 4.
Universal Telephone Co.:
Merged with Illinois Telephone, Dec. 30.

Indiana:
Citizens Communications, Inc.:
Merged with United Utilities, July 15.
United holders vote on merger, Dec. 23.
Merger voted, Dec. 30.
Citizens Telephone Co. of Clay County:
Board accepts GT&E offer, Oct. 21.
Woodburn Home Telephone Co., Inc.:
Sale to Woodburn Telephone OK'd, July 1.

Iowa:
Butler County Telephone Co.:
Merger with United Utilities agreed upon, July 1.
Central Iowa Telephone Co.:
Merged with GT&E operations, Aug. 26.
LeClaire-Princeton Telephone Co.:
Merger with United Utilities completed, July 1.
Manning Telephone Co.:
Merger with United Utilities completed, July 1.

Kansas:
Consolidated Telephone Co., Inc.:
Agreement to merge with United Utilities reached, Aug. 5.
Ellinwood Telephone Co., Inc.:
Talking merger with United Telephone, Sept. 2.
Junction City Telephone Co.:
To merge with United of Kansas, Sept. 16.
Kansas-Nebraska Natural Gas Co., Inc.:
Merged into United Utilities, Sept. 2.
Mid-Kansas Telephone Co.:
Sold to Kansas Telephone, July 8.
Aurelius & Vivay Telephone Co.:
Sold to Mid-Continent, Oct. 21.
Mid Continent agrees to acquire, Nov. 4.
Leelanau Telephone Co.:
Sells to Continental Telephone, Aug. 26.
Omer Telephone Co.:
Au Gres Telephone gets financing for purchase, Nov. 25.
Rural Telephone Co.:
Sells to Mid-Continent, Sept. 23.
Mid-Continent acquisition, Oct. 21.

Minnesota:
Monticello River Road Telephone Co.:
Gets okay to sell, Oct. 21.
New London Telephone Co.:
Sale to Mid State Telephone OK'd, July 1.
Pioneer Telephone Co.:
United Utilities holders approve merger, July 1.
Prairie Rural Telephone Co.:
Granted request to sell to Bridge Water Telephone, Dec. 16.
Stokes Township Telephone System:
Authorized to sell to People's Telephone Co., Nov. 25.
Tri-County Telephone Co.:
Authorized to sell to Mid State, Oct. 7.
West Miltona Farmers Co-op Telephone Co.:
Sale to Midwest Telephone Co., Dec. 23.

Missouri:
Capital City Telephone Co.:
Agrees on merger with United Telephone, July 29.
United Utilities to acquire, Aug. 12.
United holders vote on merger, Dec. 23.
Merger voted, Dec. 30.

Nebraska:
Wellfleet Mutual Telephone Co.:
Acquired by Maywood Telephone Co., July 15.

New Mexico:
Los Alamos Telephone System:
AEC approves MST&T's bid, Aug. 5.

New York:
Big Eddy Telephone Co.:
Sale to Continental OK'd, Nov. 18.
Chautauqua & Erie Telephone Corp.:
Allowed to sell stock to Dunkirk & Fredonia, Dec. 2.
C & U Communications:
Holders vote on merger, July 22.
Votes to merge with Continental, Aug. 19.
Commission grants approval, Dec. 23.
Chenango & Unadilla Telephone Corp.:
To be acquired by Continental Telephone, Dec. 2.
Midstate Telephone Co., Inc.:
Merger with Mid-Continent proceeds, Sept. 2.
Oswego Telephone Corp.:
Merger with Mid-Continent proceeds, Sept. 2.
Sale to Ohio company OK'd, Sept. 30.
Southern Tier Telephone Co., Southern Counties Telephone Co.:
Stock acquired by Continental, July 22.
Vergas Telephone Co.:
Authorized to sell to East Otter Tail Telephone Co., Sept. 9.

North Dakota:
Midstate and Medora Telephone:
Merger OK'd, Nov. 4.
Pioneer Telephone Co. of Waconia:
Merger with United Utilities approved, July 15.

Ohio:
Northern Ohio Telephone Co.:
Merger with GT&E OK'd by directors, Oct. 21.
Approved by stockholders, Dec. 23.
Warren Telephone Co.:
United Utilities holders approve merger, July 1.

Oregon:
Sunnyside Telephone Co.:
Commissioner okays merger with Hood-Land Telephone Co., July 29.
To be sold to Western Valley Telephone Co., Nov. 18.

Pennsylvania:
Home Telephone Co. of Ridgway:
Holders okay merger with Mid-Continent, Sept. 23.
Meadville Telephone Co.:
Holders approve merger with Jamestown Telephone, Home Telephone of Ridgway, Mid-Continent Telephone Corp., Aug. 19.
Meadville-Mid-Continent merger OK'd Dec. 16.
Reade Telephone Co.:
Sale to Kittanning Co. OK'd, Sept. 16.
South Penn Telephone Co.:
Acquired by Mid-Continent Telephone Corp., Nov. 25.
Wattsburg Telephone Corp.:
Sale to General Telephone of Pa. approved, Oct. 21.

South Carolina:
Greenwood-United Telephone Co.:
Authorized to merge Ninety Six, Hodges, Troy, Ware Shoals, Saluda and Home Telephone Cos., Dec. 30.
Inman Telephone Co.:
Sale to Mid-Continent announced, Oct. 21.
Mid-Continent agrees to acquire, Nov. 4.

Virginia:
Central Virginia Telephone Co.:
Sale to First Colony Co. OK'd, Sept. 23.
Raphine Telephone Co.:
Sale to First Colony Co. OK'd, Sept. 23.

Washington:
Edmonds Cablevision:
Acquired by GT&E Communications, Inc., Aug. 19.
Hanford Project Telephone System(AEC):
Authorized to sell to General of NW, United of NW, Aug. 19.

SPACE SATELLITE COMMUNICATIONS:
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